

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	:	Attorney Docket No. 2006_0986A
Noriko SUGIMOTO et al.	:	Confirmation No. 1802
Serial No. 10/586,240	:	Group Art Unit 3621
Filed July 17, 2006	:	Examiner Jacob C. Coppola
PLAYBACK APPARATUS, PLAYBACK AUTHORIZATION SERVER, PROGRAM, AND SYSTEM INTEGRATED CIRCUIT	:	Mail Stop: AMENDMENT

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed December 9, 2009,
Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-14, 17 and 18, drawn to a playback apparatus.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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